## Transfer to Secondary School September 2023





## For children born between 1 September 2011 and 31 August 2012

## Open Evenings – Provisional Dates - This information is subject to change

These are a unique opportunity to see the school buildings, facilities, and staff, and to hear from the head teachers about each school, its achievements, and plans for the future.

Some Sutton Schools have virtual tours available on their websites, these provide useful information about each school. Please click on each school below to view the school tour or visit each school's website. We will send another newsletter at the start of Autumn term to advise of any revised dates. Please also continue to check the school websites for updates.

It is important that you also consider schools which are located outside Sutton, particularly if you live close to a borough boundary with <u>Croydon</u>, <u>Kingston</u>, <u>Merton</u> or <u>Surrey</u>. You can apply for any school in any local authority, and we encourage families to apply for their local schools, whether in Sutton or in neighbouring boroughs.

The following table gives the provisional dates of open evenings for the Sutton schools. Dates of open evenings for schools outside Sutton are available from individual school websites.

| Open Evening Dates for Sutton Schools |              |   |   |  |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---|---|--|
| Carshalton Boys Sports<br>College     | 22 September | Overton Grange<br>School                      | 29 September  |  |
| Carshalton High School for<br>Girls   | 22 September | St Philomena's Catholic High School for Girls | 28 June   |  |
| Cheam High School                     | 13 October   | Sutton Grammar<br>School                      | 21 September  |  |
| Glenthorne High School                | 14 September | The John Fisher<br>School                     | 8 September   |  |
| Greenshaw High School                 | 30 June      | Wallington County<br>Grammar School           | 7 July  |  |
| Harris Academy Sutton                 | 1 October    | Wallington High<br>School for Girls           | 30 June   |  |
| Nonsuch High School for Girls         | 14 July      | Wilson's School                               | June 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, and 29.  Bookable Tickets available from late April 2022 |  |
| Oaks Park High School                 | 21 September |   |   |  |

## Selection Tests, Aptitude Assessments and Supplementary Forms

Some schools will require your child to sit a test or be assessed for all or some of their places. Results are issued before the closing date for applications so that you know if your child is eligible for consideration and the school can be named on your application.

Registration is normally done through the school website or a supplementary form available directly from the school. The table below gives the dates by which you must register for these tests. If you are considering schools outside of Sutton, you should visit their websites to obtain further details.

| School                              | Assessment Type                  | Registration Deadline | Assessment/Test<br>date |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| Carshalton High School for<br>Girls | Music or Sport                   | TBC                   | 13 September            |
| Glenthorne High School              | Performing arts<br>workshop      | 23 September          | 8 & 15 October          |
| Glenthorne High School              | Banding test<br>(all applicants) | 31 October            | 19 November             |
| Greenshaw High School               | Eligibility test only            | 5 August              | 13 September            |
| Nonsuch High School for<br>Girls    | Eligibility tests                | 5 August              | 13 September            |
| Sutton Grammar School               | Eligibility tests                | 5 August              | 13 September            |
| Wallington County Grammar<br>School | Eligibility tests                | 5 August              | 13 September            |
| Wallington High School for<br>Girls | Eligibility tests                | 5 August              | 13 September            |
| Wilsons School                      | Eligibility tests                | 5 August              | 13 September            |

Following registration, invitations to test or assessments will be issued by the schools.

Greenshaw, Sutton Grammar, Wallington County Grammar, Wallington High School for Girls, Nonsuch High School for Girls and Wilson's School run a shared selective eligibility test. To register, go to any one of these schools' websites. **You only need to register your child once.** 

Success in the selective eligibility test means:

- Greenshaw High School eligible to be considered for an ability place.
- Sutton Grammar School, Wallington County Grammar School, Wallington High School for Girls, Nonsuch High School for Girls and Wilson's School eligible to sit second stage entrance examinations on Saturday 1st October 2022

Some schools may also ask for a supplementary form to be completed. For example, this will be the case for faith designated schools which need a reference from a parish priest, but this may also apply for other schools.

In Sutton, the schools that require a supplementary form in addition to the common application form made to your home local authority (between 1 September and 31 October) are St Philomena's Catholic High School for Girls and The John Fisher School.

Success in tests or assessments for any of these schools does not guarantee an offer of a place.